

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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vs.)
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ARTHUR RANKIN JR.,)
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Defendant.)

2:09-cv-01862-HDM(LRL)

ORDER ON

AMENDED DEFAULT JUDGMENT

This cause came before the Court upon the application of The United States for judgment by default against the defendant, Arthur Rankin. The United States appearing by and through Carlos A. Gonzalez, Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Nevada. Defendant failed to appear. The Court being fully advised in the premises, FINDS THAT:

(A) This Court has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter of this action;

(B) Defendant, Arthur Rankin Jr., was duly served a copy of the Summons and Complaint in the action within the District of Nevada on October 16, 2009, pursuant to Rule 4(c) or 4(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. A copy of the United States Waiver of the Service of Summon and Return is on file;

1 (C) Defendant has failed to appear, plead, or otherwise defend herein within the
2 time allowed;

3 (D) No stipulation or order has been filed extending the time for the defendant to
4 plead or otherwise defend;

5 (E) Defendant is now in default and a clerk's Entry of Default is now on file;

6 (F) Defendant is not an infant or incompetent person and not in the military
7 service with the purview of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended;

8 (G) Defendant is indebted to the United States by reason of the default in
9 repaying the student loan(s);

10 (H) Subsequently, said Note was assigned to the United States of America. The
11 United States is now the owner and holder of said Note. Defendant has failed to pay said
12 Note according to the terms thereof;

13 (I) There is due and owing to the United States from Defendant the sum of
14 \$3,469.34 principal and \$3,711.48 interest as of February 25, 2011. Interest shall accrue
15 at the legal rate pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1961(a) and be computed daily and compounded
16 annually until paid in full, and United States District Court docket fees in the amount of
17 \$350.00 as provided by 28 U.S.C. § 2412(a)(2) , plus costs of suit as subsequently taxed;

18 (J) The allegations of the Complaint are sustained by the evidence and are
19 hereby adopted as findings of fact. The Court concludes as a matter of law that the United
20 States is entitled to the relief demanded in the Complaint.

21 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that The United
22 States of America should have, and it is hereby granted, judgment against the Defendant
23 in the amount of \$7,180.82, plus interest at the rate of 8.00 percent per annum from

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1 February 25, 2011, until date of judgment. All loans will accrue post judgment
2 interest at a rate determined in accordance with 28 U.S.C.
3 section 1961(a), and United States Court Docket Fees in the
4 amount of \$350.00, plus costs of this action.
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6 DATED this 2nd day of March, 2011.

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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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